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LB 83

Consent calendar, second sheet. The time is now 16 after; we'll conclude this at 10:16. Begin Senator Luedtke, I believe it's your rule that if debate exceeds 15 minutes, we stop immediately. Senator Luedtke and I also visited about this and if it appears to the introducer or the carrier of the bill that it is going to exceed 15 minutes it would be in the best interest of the entire body if you would move to put it back on the regular calendar. Isn't that correct, Senator Luedtke? Alright, we'll start with LB 83. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Read LB 83. There are lengthy committee amendments by the Agriculture and Environment Committee.

PRESIDENT: Senator Schmit.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. President and members of the Legislature. I move for the adoption of the committee amendments on LB 83. The committee amendments provide that the bill relating to the transportation of livestock contain the information as to the ownership of the livestock, point of origin, point of destination, and when available the railroad car number. The bill also, under the proposed committee amendments, provides that the transportation agent or the trucker shall carry with him a trip permit or proof of ownership that is satisfactory to a piece officer if he is stopped for inspection. The bill is Senator Lamb's bill and these are the only two committee amendments that are substance and I would move the adoption of the committee amendments.

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion? The question is the adoption of the committee amendments. Record your vote. Please vote. Record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays to adopt the committee amendment.

PRESIDENT: The committee amendments are adopted. Senator Lamb.

SENATOR LAMB: Mr. Chairman, members of the Legislature. LB 83 is a very simple bill and the main provision in it is best explained by an example. If you own some cattle and you want to incorporate into a family corporation, then this bill removes the provision that you have to have the cattle brand inspected before they are transferred over to your family corporation. It does not alter the brand inspection laws in other respects. It merely clarifies the fact and simplifies the procedure in family corporations. Now there is one more line in there that somebody might notice and it strike on page 4, some language concerning the stray livestock fund. This language was stricken at the request of the auditor because this money does not belong to the state and so it should not be invested until after it is determined who the money belongs to. I move the advancement of LB 83.

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion? The question is the advancement of LB 83 as amended. Record your vote. Please vote. Record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays.

PRESIDENT: The bill is advanced. Under the North Balcony

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